the Middle Atlantic States, stationary eter, south to southwest winds, b warmer and partly cloudy or clear

WEATHER YESTERDAY Was generally OMETER YESTERDAY: 6 A. M., 69: M., 72: 12 M., 81; 3 P. M., 84; 6 P. midnight, 70.

LOCAL MATTERS. DEATH BY POISON.

TIZEN DETERMINED TO DIE, YET BARL OF SICK AT THE JAIL.

brought to Coroner Taylor's door in a ad taken poison, and wanted an anti-Dr. Taylor being undressed, advised

ly after arriving there died.

clock this morning will hold an inquest, in the winter. a it is hoped all the facts will be brought

on's friends complain that he was : ondown any one in advance of the in-

lador Cummins, when the man was charged with attempting to commit sui-

t was learned at the First station-house night that Mr. Harris between 9 and 10 lock notified the officers there that Parwas at his store, very sick. Sergeant attack went up to Mr. Harris's store and ving that it would be better for him- after a few minutes. i, and better for his family, too. From station-house he was sent to the Police

ught ten cents' worth Monday night to aight another quantity, alleging that the ust paper had been lost. It is asserted that bought some laudanum also.

le was very much embarrassed pecunialy, and was indebted to Mr. Harris in a usiderable amount, but was not pressed the latter. It does not appear that Parsons ever re

cetted taking the poison. A CONVICT .- J. Hill (colored), from Ches-

erfield, was received at the penitentiary esterday for two years on account of grand HOTCHKISS'S SUMMARY .- The summary of

sources and industries of Virginia, preared for the Board of Immigration by r Jed. Hotchkiss, will be sold at \$1.25 or 1.50 per volume. The exact price has not et been determined upon by the Board.

SEINE-FISHING IN THE CANAL.-It is no mger lawful to catch fish in the James tiver and Kanawha canal with seins. Jus ee Hopkins a few days ago fined three men or violating the law.

LITERARY ENTERTAINMENTS .- The final elebration of the Richmond Literary Assoiation for the session of 1875-'76 will take place Monday evening next at the Young Men's Christian Association Hall at 8 o'clock. President, Samuel P. Waddell; Orator, J. R. Tucker, Jr.; Debaters, A. L. Owen, W. Briggs; Medalists-Best debater, J. R. Tucker, Jr.; most improved in debate, W. Briggs; Committee of Arrangements, Everett Waddy, J. Bates, L. T. W. Marye,

. C. Leake, D. E. Lumsden. The lifty-ninth annual commencement of corgetown College will Take place Thursday morning, June 22, 1876, at 10:30 o'clock. he following is the programme: Salutary. John I. Griffiss, of Baltimore; Amerian Poets, Clement Manly, of North Caroina; American Orators, John G. Agar, of ouisiana; A'Century's Progress, Bell W. theridge, of Tennessee; Valedictory, John arroll Payne, of Virginia. This is the third year in succession that the valedictorian has een a Virginian. The past two years Richmond boys had that honor.

"THE RICHMOND CONCERT TROUPE."-It has already been stated that a number of amateur singers, assisted by several profesionals, have formed themselves into an ssociation under the name of the "Rich nond Concert Troupe." The first of their series of concerts will be given at the Richmond Theatre Friday evening next. The for the appointment of receivers in the principal artists are Madame Melvino Marcy, Atlantic, Mississippi and Ohio Railroad case, night, but were captured next morning in a oprano; Messrs. J. H. Donaldson, tenor; the taxes due the State of Virginia, now C Wyatt buritone: Professors Kessnich and E. A. Ambold. The sale of reserved seats will commence this morning at Wyatt's music-store, 920 Main street.

FINE TOMATOES .- Very few tomatoes raised in this immediate vicinity have ginia. reached the market, and among the finest were samples from the fields of John B. Davis, Esq. He is probably the largest paralysis. ing over three hundred acres planted in this luscious fruit.

DESPATCH.

RICHMOND, VA., WEDNESDAY, MORNING, JUNE 21, 1876.

THE NEW RESERVOIR.

WORK OF IMPROVEMENT-A LAKE AND A PARK FOR RICHMOND-THE OLD RESER

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The Water Committees of the City Couneil of Richmond on vesterday afternoon paid a visit of inspection to the new reservoir, which will soon be formally turned over to the city authorities. The party started from the office of Mr. James L. Dadationary or falling barometer, in- vis, the Superintendent of Water Works, on Broad street, and as they proceeded towards the suburbs in their carriages in line many people asked whose funeral that Was. Had the populace known that the committee was not going to a funeral, but to look at a huge recentacle of that aqueous fluid so well calculated to prevent funerals, they would have cheered them all along the line. The party consisted of General Joseph R. Anderson. president of the Council; Messrs. George Bargamin, chairman Council Committee on Water; C. T. Davis and William H. Jenkins, of the Council committee; Messrs. C. B. Lipscomb, James C. Smith, and Dr. W. II. Scott, of the committee of the Board of Aldermen; M. L. Straus, Esq., committeeman at large and councilman for life; Alderman John M. Higgins, Councilmen John Purcell, A. G. Babcock B. L. Braselman, and J. F. Wingfield; IM OF STRANGE MISUNDERSTAND- Councilman-elect W. S. Wood; Messrs. James L. Davis, Superintendent Water--MENT-ANOTHER CASE CALLING FOR Works, and W. J. Riddick, Assistant Su-VISTIGATION AS TO ARRANGEMENTS Perintendent Water-Works; Colonel W. E. Cutshaw, City Engineer; S. Ed. Bates, Assistant City Engineer; J. B. Royster, Esq., City Auditor; John H. Knowles, Esq., Suman named Daniel Parsons, a perintendent Gas-Works: Captain George ent of Fulton, and employed by Thomas | Ainslie, Superintendent Fire Department; ris, Main street between Fourteenth Alexander Calder, Assistant Superintend-Fifteenth, as a peddler of pictures, ent Pump-House; Thomas Hannigan, Suat the Church Institute vesterday eve- perintendent Street-Rolling Department. of arsenic poisoning, it is believed. Besides these officials there were a number rday morning about 8 o'clock Parsons of private citizens of property who accompanied the committee to view the improved wagon, and the friends who accom- ments that had been made in and about the eservoir. Sergeant-at-Arms Ben. August gracefully did the honors of the occasion. After leaving the city the party was

driven out through several of the beautiful They went off, and subsequently city, and approaching the reservoir from the was carried to the Police northwest corner, were then taken up one charge of attempting of the finely-graded approaches to the main suicide. He acknowledged embankment, where a view of the work man for one of the shrewdest detectives of had taken arsenic, but he had evi- broke suddenly upon the vision, and a very been on a big spree, and hardly knew line view it was. The nicely-turfed eme was saying, and unluckily was not bankment, the well-graded approaches, the ved as to what he stated about his at- smooth road and neat fencing around the to commit suicide. Everybody knows work, added to the superb panorama aftender-hearted Police-Justice White is, forded by the undulations of the surroundthat if he had been aware of the facts ing country, which were relieved in a most add have had Parsons properly picturesque manner by the sight of cheerful harvesters hard at work-all combined was committed to jail in default of se- to make a picture that would gratify to be of good behavior. About I any councilman's sense of self-gratithat is, after he was imprisoned- | fication, or melt any tax-payers' heart. The ame quite ill, and again repeated that improvements are just now in a semi-comad taken poison, both landanum and pleted state, and one can hardly estimate

He drank a great deal of water at their value to the city. Enough has been Jailor Cummins sent off for a phy- done, however, to show that the city fathers at there was some delay, and Par- have made a most judicious investment, and grew rapidly worse. About 5 or 6 have added to the city an ornament that bing the safe of the company owning the having been seen by Dr. Ross, and will prove in every sense a blessing to its furnace. The safe contained between fifty milition being recognized as very crit- people. There is contiguous to the reser- and one hundred thousand dollars in curbe was sent to the Church Institute, and voir a beautiful lake, which is being daily improved, and will ere long be a resort to the building unobserved and laid in wait Taylor viewed the body, and at the city marines in summer and the skater

After the committee had inspected fully the works, and had been well received by the hospitable Charley Baker, the present im of a misunderstanding throughout, efficient superintendent of the work, they ay that in this case, as in the instance repaired to the old reservoir. It is useless unfortunate Sycles, life might have to speak of the beauties of this place, as saved had there been a physician at the | there are but few of our citizens who have ben needed. However, it is not fair not visited it since it has so visibly improved burglars before they were aware of his under the hands of Captain S. J. Hunt. After a brief but gratifying visit here the committee returned to the city with their ught down to him, had no idea that he friends, and all hands conceded it that the and shot Hughes through the heart, killing new reservoir was destined to be what the him instantly. Rushing in, he then Irishman said would be "The throne in nature and the pride of State."

THROWN FROM HIS HORSE.-Yesterday morning a country gentleman named Henry Wilson was riding out Second street near k Parsons in custody and carried him to Leigh, when his horse, becoming frightened First station-house. There, again, Par- at a pile of rubbish, pitched him to the let it be known that he had taken poi- ground. He was somewhat bruised and , and he affirmed that he wished to die, cut, but was able to proceed on his way

THE CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION. - Messes M. P. Handy, C. C. Buckner, and W. T. Chandler, members of the State Committee unningham's drugstore, corner of for this district, have issued a call for a conwenty-first and Main streets. Parsons vention to be held at the Exchange Hotel, in this city, on the 24th of August, to nomili rats, as he said. This, it seems, his wife nate a candidate for Congress. The conok away from him. He went back and vention will be composed of two delegates from each magisterial district in the counties of Hanover, Chesterfield, Louisa, Caroline, and Henrico, and one from each voting Deceased leaves a wife and two children. precinct in the cities of Richmond and Manchester.

THE HAYES CLUBS-A PROTEST .- Mr. William Kelly, who was elected one of the vice-presidents at large at the meeting of the Sity Central Hayes and Wheeler Club on Monday evening, protests against the use of his name in this connection. He was not at the meeting, gave no authority for the use of his name, and is not in sympathy with the Hayes and Wheeler ticket. Hurrah for Kelly!

REPUBLICAN MEETING .- The Hayes and Wheeler Campaign Club, organized on Saturday night with O. H. Russell, Esq., as the arrival of Mr. Pinkerton, and will pass president, and Colonel W. E. Nye as secretary, will hold a public meeting at Ham's Hall to-night. This organization claims to to be a city, not a ward, club.

MASONIC OFFICERS ELECTED .- At a meeting of Amity Lodge, No. 76, A. F. and A. M., the following officers for the ensuing vear were elected: William Abern, W. M.; B. F. Shepperson, S. W.; J. T. Rogers, J. W.; A. L. Phillips, treasurer; G. W. Duesberry, secretary; G. W. Burr, S. D.; J. I. Stevenson, J. D.; J. M. Butler, G. C. Vanderslice, and J. L. Guy, chaplains; J. R. Bland and W. J. Rady, stewards; J. C. Ja-

cobs, tiler. At a stated meeting of Richmond Randolph Lodge, No. 19, held last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Worshipful tional Bank of Wilmington. They got into George F. Keesee, master; Charles P. Rady, senior warden; R. H. Duesberry, junior warden; W. Fletcher Richardson, treasurer; William J. Riddick, secretary; B. F. Howard, senior deacon; C. E. Sherer, junior deacon; Thomas Angel,

STATE FINANCES.—The Auditor of Public Accounts has notified Dr. Ruffner, Superintendent of Public Instruction, that \$300,000 in cash await his orders. With what has already been turned over and what will be hereafter Dr. Ruffner will be able to declare dividends which will amount in the aggregate to one dollar per head of school popula-

The State has returned to the Richmond banks the \$100,000 borrowed some eight or

nine months ago. STATE TAXES.—It is understood that according to the provisions of the order made to the sentence which was passed upon his amounting to a very considerable sum, will be paid.

PERSONAL.-An effort has been made to induce Rev. Dr. J. L. M. Curry to become president of the University of West Vir-

Comm relat and Financial Chronicle, is in folk authorities dispose of him. the cit/ in the interest of his paper,

PINKERTON'S PETS.

THE SUFFOLK HAUL-ARRIVAL OF DETEC ERNUR'S REQUISITION FOR "GUS." FISHER-AN INTERESTING HISTORY OF THE BURGLARS AND THEIR BURGLARIES.

Detective William A. Pinkerton, one of the famous Pinkerton brothers of the National Police Agency, and a son of the veteran Allen C. Pinkerton, arrived in our city yesterday, and at once proceeded to the Governor's office, where he obtained the requisite authority from the Governor to get Gus. Fisher from the custody of the Suffolk authorities, and to proceed with him to New Jersey, where he has been 'wanted" for some time for an attempted burglary in October last at Oxford Furnace. N. J. It will be remembered that Fisher was one of the gang of burglars and cracksmen who were captured near Suffolk on the 26th day of May last. For a time the cases of these parties had been in abeyance before the Suffolk courts, and on Wednesday last they were sent on to answer indictments, as they had been found with burglars' tools upon them. On Friday they were brought before Judge Blow upon a writ of habeas corpus, and for awhile it seemed probable that through the strenuous and able efforts of Captain George D. Wise, of this city, they would be released on bail. But at an unexpected moment ber of ladies and gentlemen. the Commonwealth introduced Mr. Pinkerton, who, amidst the greatest excitement, testified as to the identity of the burglars. The Commonwealth was fought at every step by the defence, but its questions having been admitted by the Court, the cool and decisive answers of the experienced detective settled all further question as to the disposition of the prisoners. The question as to priority of jurisdiction it did not take long to settle in the cases of Fisher alias Sanford and McCov alias, Barnard. The cases against them from other States were so strong that they were at once delivered up by the authorities of Virginia.

INTERESTING INTERVIEW. Mr. Pinkerton was called upon by a Dispatch reporter vesterday morning, who had most interesting interview as to these gentlemen who have honored the peaceful soil of the Old Dominion in this the Centennial year of her greatness and independence. But few men who did not know him would take this quiet and modest-looking gentlethis country, and a member of a family which has proven a terror to the bank-burglars and murderers of our great cities. It may have been the influence of the country atmosphere in and about Suffolk that gave him the appearance, but we certainly thought he looked more like a quiet, respectable, well-to-do farmer than an Argus-eyed detective officer.

GUS. FISHER'S SHORTCOMINGS. He gave the following interesting history of the crime for which "Gus." Fisher is wanted: On the 22d day of October last four men-Edward Hughes, John Green, Gus. Fisher, and another one whose name has not been disclosed-went to Oxford Furnace. New Jersey, for the purpose of robrency, bonds, and securities. They got into for the watchman, with the intention of knocking him down and gagging him. They expected him to come in by a certain door near which Fisher and Green were posted ready to knock him down and garrote him. Instead, however, of coming hy the door at which they stood so diabolicall prepared, the watchman came up from the basement and discovered the would-be presence. He coolly surveyed the premises and took a good look, so as to be able to identify them all. He then drew his pistol grappled with the others, firing two shots, and wounding Green slightly twiceonce in the head and once in the arm. In the desperate struggle that ensued the watchman was overpowered, and would have been killed but for his coolness and presence of mind, for he called out, as they were about to dispatch him, " Why the hdon't the rest of you fellows come on?" Upon this the gang dispersed without cere-

mony, and escaped to New York. THE PRETTY TELL-TALE PICTURES. Green was shortly afterwards picked up by Robert A. Pinkerton in New York, but they were unable to come up with the other two until the Pinkertons received the photographs of the Suffolk crowd from Major Poe, when Fisher was immediately identified, and hence the visit of Mr. W. A. Pinkerton. This gentleman showed us yesterday the pictures of the burglars as they were taken at Suffolk. Fisher's is somewhat distorted, the right side being drawn up, and the eye being partially closed, as though winking, but not sufficiently to prove a good disguise, as Mr. Pinkerton re-"We can't be fooled that way. I marked: spotted those fellows as soon as I saw the pictures, and I hastened to Old Virginia." Barnard's picture was natural; but he insisted upon keeping on his hat, as he was perfectly bald all around his head, there being but a light stream of hair about the base of the cranium. He is about forty years old, is not by any means a bad-looking man, but is regarded as one of the most experienced cracksmen in the country. Fisher will be taken from Suffolk upon

through Richmond on Thursday on his way to New Jersey.

M'COY'S WILMINGTON EXPERIENCE.

McCoy alias Barnard is an escaped convict from Delaware, under sentence of fifty ashes, two hours in the pillory, and ten years in the penitentiary for the charge of attempted bank burglary. He had suffered his sentence as to the lashes and the pillory, and upon being asked by the detective if he had been really well lashed in Delaware, he replied: "Oh my, but wasn't I, though? That fellow that whipped me was a darling. The way he lit onto my back made me think that he was raised a whippin' nig-

McCoy and his gang of five some three years ago planned a raid upon the First Nathe cashier's house, and proceeded to gag the whole family and convey them all into one room. All went on well until a negro servant of the family slipped the seductive arms of one of the burglarious invaders, and darted under the bed, and left her legs sticking out. Fearing she would commence to shout, two of the party went to haul her out, and in doing so their attention was escape into the street, yelling "Murder," and rousing the people generally. She and John E. Ellis, of Henrico county. was closely pursued by the burglars to within a couple of blocks of the policestation, when she broke into a millinery store and closed the door behind her, holding it so tightly that she defied the efforts of the burglars, who were so bold as to follow her. At this time a policeman came up, and McCoy felled him with a crow-bar, for which act of affection he had twenty lashes added partners. The entire party escaped that

vacant house that had been rented by the McCoy awaits a requisition from the Dela-ware authorities for his delivery, which is daily expected.

on this little Suffolk bush, Thomas McCor-Captain J. F. C. Potts is very little, if at all, improved since he was first stricken by a daring burglar by Mr. Pinkerton, but as paralysis

cases were given in a very interesting letter | directing a sale of the property in the profrom Suffolk in the Dispatch vesterday, and we are much indebted to Mr. Pinkerton for such an interesting insight into the previous TIVE PINKERTON-HE GETS THE GOV. lives of these distinguished visitors to Vir- and ratifying sale therein mentioned. ginia.

RICHMOND COLLEGE.

TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF THE PHILOLOGIAN SOCIETY-AWARD OF MEDALS TO DEBATERS-ORATIONS-PRO-GRAMME FOR TO-NIGHT-A SUGGESTION.

Last night the Philologian Society of Richmond College had its twenty-first annual celebration. The college chapel, which nimble fingers, under tasteful guidance. had beautifully decorated with evergreens and flowers, was crowded with the beauty and intelligence of our city. The hall, admirably adapted for public speaking, is so well ventilated that, notwithstanding the crowd, little inconvenience was felt from the summer's heat. Mr. Alexander M. Harris, of Culpeper,

presided with dignity, and introduced gracefully the various speakers. "To stimulate excellence the two societies confer annually medals upon certain students who are adjudged to have special merit." Mr. F. T. Davis received the medal for

being the best declaimer. The contest occurred some weeks ago in the Society hall, and was witnessed and enjoyed by a num-

THE MOST MARKED IMPROVEMENT. Mr. Samuel W. Price, of Petersburg, remarked improvement as a debater during the clothes over to the owner; said clothes the session just closing. Mr. John W. Snyder, of this city, who acquitted himself last night as president of the Cocial Club with such flattering success, received two medals for being the best debater and also the best writer. This is the first instance where the same young gentleman has borne off both honors. From the bouquets and applause which accompanied the award of the medals Mr. Snyder seems equally popular with the public and the students. THE PRESENTATIONS.

These medals had been placed in the hands of Captain George D. Wise as the representative of the Society, and right well did he vindicate the wisdom of the selection. Earnestly and eloquently he impressed the need of diligence and toil to achieve permanent success.

ORATORS OF THE EVENING.

Mr. J. W. Tucker and Mr. T. H. Fitzgerald were the regular orators for the evening. Mr. Tucker discussed Development as Nature's immutable law. His speech evinced thought, and was well delivered. Mr. Fitzgerald had for his poetical theme "The Hand that Dropped Roses can Bestow Laurels," and deduced from it appropriate lessons of duty and woman's influence.

The salutatory and the valedictory by Mr. Harris were well conceived, and clicited much applause. The exercises were most pleasant and eniovable-alike creditable to the Society and

to the college. TO-NIGHT.

The Mu Sigma Rho Society has its celebration to-night. These youthful exhibitions are appreciated by the public, and the large and interested audiences show how strong a hold the college has on the community; but we venture thirty, 3 white, 2 colored-total, 5; one month deferentially to suggest that if the two societies were to hold a joint celebration on one night and a commencement address on the other night by some distinguished orator, such a change would be beneficial to the college and highly appreciated by those who look with approval upon these college celebrations.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, TUES-DAY-Judge Hughes presiding.-The fol-

lowing business was disposed of: In the matter of A. Goldback, bankrupt. Order entered distributing the fund on hand and directing the payment of the claims for labor. Laborers who proved their claims before Commissioner Atkins will receive their pay upon application to

Mills & Brother's assignee vs. M. Millhiser & Co. Order entered dismissing the suit. Trustees Dollar Bank vs. Mary Powell et

Order discharging trustees, distributing balance of fund in bank, and dismissing cause. In the matter of W. H. Anthony. Order

discharging assignee. Trustees Dollar Bank vs. Richard & deorge W. Duke. Decree entered in accordance with the opinion of the United States Circuit Court.

In the case of Levi D. Dix. The petition of the bankrupt against Gunter & Gillett, attorneys, was dismissed. In the matter of William S. King. Order discharging assignee.

In the matter of John H. Walsh, bankrupt. The assignee was ordered to file a full account of his transactions in the cause. In the matter of James T. Butler. The bankrupt was ordered to show cause on the 12th July, 1876, why certain real estate should not be sold to satisfy the balance due

on a bond of \$425.55 in the proceedings mentioned. In the matter of 'T. C. and C. T. Keatts. G. D. Neal was appointed a special commissioner to take an account of liens, and on motion of the bankrupt these causes were removed to the Western District at Dan-

ville. In the matter of Nathaniel F. Wilson. Notice of appeal filed. Trustees Dollar Bank vs. Thomas F. But

ler. Claim compromised by the defendant paying \$750 and costs. In the matter of A. A. Dakin. Report of resale of land made June 5, 1876, by the as-

signee filed. In the matter of John A. Ponton. The sheriff of Nottaway county was directed to turn over to the assignee the property and money in his bands received from the bank-

rupt's estate. In the case of L. W. Jones. The assignee was ordered to resell the bankrupt's real estate unless the purchaser thereof shall pay the balance due by him on or before the 10th of July next. Register Forbes was directed to take an account of liens.

In the matter of George W. Tucker. The

purchaser of the bankrupt's real estate upon of the chief of the department in the selecthe payment of the balance due by him after deducting his lien. In the matter of Richard Mitchell. Thomas S. Atkins was appointed a special commis-

sioner to convey the real estate sold by the assignee to the purchaser thereof. Discharges in bankruptcy were issued to W. H. Anthony, of Hanover county; Samuel W. Keyes, of Brunswick county; Wildiverted from a half-open door, through liam Spears, of Chesterfield county; Wilthe larger northern cities. We want nowhich a young lady of the family made her liam A. Ramsey, of Charlotte county; thing of the kind here; but we do need a Abner B. Walker, of New Kent county;

> CHANCERY COURT-Judge Fitzhugh .- The following cases were disposed of yesterday: Henrico County vs. Richmond. Decree taining demurrer and dismissing the plain- pany in Richmond can hitch and be ready in conformity with opinion of court sus-

tiff's bill. Ford, &c., vs. Condon, &c. Decree referring cause to a commissioner for inquiry and report. Norton vs. Norton, &c. Decree directing

and making a disposition of the fund. Arnall, trustee, vs. Arnall, &c. Decree the "Jeems," which had not by any means confirming report of commissioner, settling shown any signs of a conclusion. claims of creditors, and directing sale if not paid within the terms prescribed by decree. Our court, with its able judge, is busily engaged dispensing stern and even-handed Nash, trustee, vs. Montague, &c. Decree justice, and our citizens feel that there is nothing report of commissioner as to in-

vestment of funds. Rutherford's executor vs. Rutherford, the law has no present demands upon him arralysis.

Mr. Edward McFee, of the New York he will be left blooming alone until the Suf-. The proceedings at Suffolk in the above cree confirming report of commissioner and books. There is no clue to the robbery,

ceedings mentioned. Hawes and wife vs. Williams, &c. Decree confirming report of commissioner

Dooley vs. Whitesides, &c. Decree confirming report of commissioner and making final disposition of the cause. Jones's administrator vs. Turner, &c.

Decree confirming report of sale and making a partial disposition of the fund. Brown, trustee, vs. Goddin, &c. Decree authorizing trustee to appropriate a part of the principal of the fund to the maintenance and support of cestui que trusts.

Gleason vs. Devine, &c. Decree authorizing resale of the property at the risk and cost of former purchaser. Gilliam vs. Glazebrook's executor. Decree recommitting cause to commissioners for further inquiry and report.

rming report of commissioner and making listribution of the fund. Mayo, guardian, vs. Atkinson, &c. De ree confirming report of commissioner and roviding for investment and distribution of the fund.

Green, &c., vs. Perrin, &c. Decree con-

POLICE COURT, YESTERDAY-Justice J. J White presiding .-- The continued case of Mollie Wood, chrged with stealing \$55 in United States currency from T. Beadle, was called. The prosecutor not appearing, Mollie was discharged.

Hubbard Williams and Maria Branch. creating a disturbance in the street, were fined \$1 each.

Amanda Brooks, charged with unlawfully keeping and holding one lot of clothes valued ceived the honor of having made the most at \$5, was discharged, and ordered to turn having come into her possession legally, though wrongfully withheld.

William L. Sampson and John Harris, charged with embezzling \$45 in United States currency, the property of the Hack men's Relief Society, were discharged. Wyatt Davis, charged with stealing vege ables, was sent to jail for six months, not being able to give surety.

THE SCHOOL BOARD .- The City School Board held a meeting yesterday and disposed of some private business. The committee recommended a number of candi dates for the position of school teachers: and the Board will hold a special meeting, possibly next week, and decide as to who they will select.

MORTUARY REPORT .- The following is the mortuary report for the week ending Satur-day, June 17, 1876, from reports received at the office of the Board of Health, Richmond, Va.:

Cause of Death : Apoplexy, 1 white; can-

er, 1 colored; cerebro-spinal meningitis, 1 olored; cholera infantum, 6 white, 4 colored; consumption, 2 white, 3 colored; conrulsions (infantile), 1 colored; cyanosis, 1 white; diarrhoa, 3 white, 1 colored; diplitheria, 1 white; drowning, 2 white; dysentery, 1 white; heart-disease, 1 white; hydrocephalus, 1 colored; jaundice, 1 white; marasmus, 1 white, 1 colored; old age, colored; peritenitis, 1 colored; pyæmia, 1 white; tabes mesenterica, 1 colored; unknown, 1 white, 2 colored; whoopingcough, 1 white, 3 colored. Whole number of deaths in the city, exclusive of stillbirths, 44. Still-births: White males, 2; colored females, 3-total, 5. Sex: Males, 13 white, 13 colored-total, 26; females, 10 white, 8 colored-total, 18. Age: One day to to six, 4 white, 6 colored-total, 10; six months to twelve, 4 white, 4 colored-total, 8; one year to three, 2 white, 3 colored-total, 5; three years to five, 1 white; five years to ten, 1 white, 1 colored-total, 2; ten years to twenty, 1 colored; thirty years to forty, 2 white, 3 colored—total, 5; forty years to fifty, 3 white; fifty years to sixty, 1 white; seventy years to eighty, 2 white; eighty years to ninety, 1 colored. Condition: Single, 17 white, 17 colored-toal, 34; married, 3 white, 2 colored-total, ; widowers, 1 colored; widows, 3 white, colored-total, 4. Nativity: Richmond, 30; other parts of the United States, 10; England, 2; Ireland, 1. Locality: Marshall Ward, 8 white, 3 colored-total, 11; Jefferson Ward, 3 white, 3 colored-total, 6; Madison Ward, 4 white, 1 colored-total, 5; Monroe Ward, 4 white, 4 colored-total, 8; Clay Ward, 1 white, 2 colored-total, 3; Jackson Ward, 1 white, 7 colored-total, 8: almshouse, 2 white, 1 colored-total, 3. By whom Certified: Regular practitioners, 19 white, 14 colored-total, 33; irregular practitioners, 1 white, 2 colored-total, 3; Coroner, 2 white; Board of Health, 1 white, 5 coloredtotal, 6. COMPARATIVE WEEKLY MORTALITY.

June 20, June 19, June 10, June 17, 1874, 1875, 1876, 1876, W. C. W. C. W. C. W. C. Total deaths. ... 18 13 18 24 23 18 23 21 Still-born. ... 0 4 0 1 0 4 2 3 Population of city estimated by school census, 72,500-white, 41,400; colored, 31, 100. Rate of mortality of whole population was 31.55 per 1,000 per annum; rate of mortality of white population was 28.88 per 1,000 per annum; rate of mortality of colored population was 35.11 per 1,000 per an-

num. Mean temperature for week ending June 10, 76.14; mean temperature for week ending June 17, 80. Amount of rainfall for the week ending June 10. 1.58 inches; amount of rainfall for

the week ending June 17, 0.45 inches. A BRILLIANT HOP was given at the Exchange Hotel last evening, which was at-

tended by the belles and beaux of the city. It passed off in a most delightful manner.

Scribner's, Frank Leslie's, and St. Nich olos, are to hand from J. T. Ellyson, 1112 Main street.

[For the Dispatch]

The Richmond Fire Department. I noticed a report in your paper of Satur

day of the inspection of the Richmond Fire

Department, in which your reporter was

nade to say: "It now seems very necessary that the committee should have the entire management of the Fire Department," &c., &c. The committee have the management now. They should never have the election of its officers. If they had the appointment of the officers and men of the department it would give one man too much authority, for assignee was directed to make a deed to the | the committee would only act upon the advice tion of the officers and men. This is the third or fourth time this matter has been brought before the people, and I sincerely hope it will be the last. The present Fire Department has been in existence since the fall of 1858. We always worked along smoothly until a few years back, when a great desire got hold of some people to change it to a department like they have in committee on the Fire Department and fficers of the department that will implicitly conform to the ordinances that created the Fire Department. In regard to the time made at the inspection on Friday night I would say that in my judgment thirtyfive seconds is as short a time as any com-

MANCHESTER NEWS.

The serenity of the atmosphere of your deed to a purchaser who has paid in full, adjacent city was in no wise disturbed yesterday; not even by the recent "bust" of Our court, with its able judge, is busily organ-grinders.

NO. but truly it seems that a man

commit such a deed would put, in a charity contribution-box. Quarry Troubles.—(ireen's quarry has stopped work on account of work having

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been suspended at the quarries below. The Old Dominion quarry is cutting down its force and reducing its wages, and it is to be hoped that our Democratic representaives will see that the necessary appropriation for the continuance of our granite works will be soon made.

Sabbath Indiscretion .- Messrs. Bowen & Bradley were before the Mayor yesterday morning for keeping their store open on Sunday. They were fined ten dollars and costs.

Wanted to go Home .- Jerry Hill, who vas conveyed to the State White House yesterday, it seems did not want to go there He would much prefer to go home, but the officers of the law would not have it that way. On Sunday afternoon about 5 o'clock officer R. P. Smith, of the police, was informed by some of the other prisoners confined in the jail that Jerry was trying to effect his escape by cutting through the wall. The officer notified Sergeant Fitzgerald, and they proceeded to his cell, and found that he had cut the plastering off from the bricks, and was operating on the wall with the blade of a pair of scissors. He was put in irons.

The M. M. M's.—The M(oney) M(aking M(en) alias the M(anchester) M(ysterious M(anipulators), the well-known Conservaive organization, will meet at Odd-Fellows Hall to-night.

Trimming the Green .- The chain-gang nave made things look nice about the courthouse green. They were engaged yesterday in harvesting the crop of weeds on the court-house green, which was very much needed, as they were about knee-high They were also engaged in cleaning the grass out of the gutters on Hull street and around the market-house.

Hustings Court .- The Hustings Court esterday disposed of the following busi-

In the case of Isadore Schwartz, for per ury, the accused was found guilty by the jury, which assessed his fine at one dollar. and on account of his age and other circumstances attending recommended him to the mercy of the Court. (The law gives him a term of not less than one year in the city jail.) The counsel for defence moved for a new trial, which motion will be argued be-

fore his Honor to-day. The case of Norah Coleman, for felo niously entering the hen-house of R. H. Hurst and stealing therefrom a number of chickens to the value of eight dollars, was discharged on the charge of felony, but was held in the sum of twenty-five dollars for her appearance before the court on Thursday next to answer a charge of petit larceny. Her husband, Mason Coleman, entered into the necessary bond. After which the court was adjourned until to-day at 10 o'clock, at which time the case of Maria Jones, for felony, will be called.

KEEP COOL .- Gauze Undershirts, fifty cents each, for sale by E. B. SPENCE & SON, 1300 Main street, where you can get a good Cassimere Suit for \$10, a White Duck Vest for \$1.50, Black Alpaca Coats for \$3, fancy Silk Scarf for 75 cents, and all articles of Clothing and Furnishing Goods at aston-

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the latest styles and at the most reasonable prices at LEVY BROTHERS'. PRESENTS-SCHOLARSHIP.

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nvited to call at JOHN BOWERS, SONS & Co.'s ron Block, Governor street, and witness the opera tion, for a few days, of the celebrated Ice King Re frigerator, the only refrigerator in the market that will freeze water. Call and be convinced.

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ditions manner. AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

By On all sales of Real Estate made between the 1st of January and last of June the taxes for the present year have to be paid by the purchaser On all sales made between the 1st of July and last of the year the taxes have to be paid by the seller. [This custom was adopted about fifteen years ag by all the real estate agents in Richmond, and ap plies to Richmond and vicinity.]

CARTER & SIBLEY, 10 A. M., herrings, macke-rel, sugar-cured hams, bacon sides, flour, tea. &c. ROBERT B. LYNE, 11 A. M., at Westview, on plank road or Cary street, mules, caws, horses, hogs, farming implements, turkeys, &c. JAMES M. TAYLOR & SON, 6 P. M., real estate on the east side of Thirteenth street between Main and Cary.

ROBERT B. LYNE, 6 P. M., two large brick buildings corner of Rocketts or Main street and Electronic N. M. LEE, 5 P. M., sale of house and lot on Yena-ble street in this city.

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WANTED, FOUR OR FIVE GOOD HOUSE-PAINTERS. Apply at the superintendent's office, Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad, by 9 o'clock this morning. WANTED, FEMALE SERVANTS FOR

WASHERS, &c., for families in New York, FOUL for Brooklyn, TWO for Orange, N. J., and ONE for BERMAIDS. I will pay the passage—furnishing tickets with meals—on all named above. Apply at once to

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je 21-1t*

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for a small family.

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